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## REPLY TO THE NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT APPEAL BRIEF MAILED MARCH 13, 2008

In reply to the Notice of Non-Compliant Appeal Brief mailed March 13, 2008, Applicants submit herewith a revised Appeal Brief and a Petition for a five-month extension of time and the requisite fee by deposit account authorization.

The Notice requires a status of all claims filed with the application. Applicants have revised the Appeal Brief to include a listing of the cancelled claims and thereby provide a status of all claims filed with the application.

Applicants have also corrected the identity of the real party in interest. The revision identifies the connection between the assignee of record and the current Applicant.

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For the Boards convenience, Applicants have submitted the revised Appeal Brief in its entirety. Applicants respectfully submit the Appeal Brief is now in condition for review.

The brief fee was submitted with the Appeal Brief filed on October 24, 2006. Please apply any other charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 50-2762, referencing attorney docket no P2028-702920.

Respectfully submitted,

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